

Attorney Docket No.: 18072-000810US

**ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION**

JOINT

WHEREAS, Steven C. Quay of 23632 Highway 99 #F 454, Edmonds, WA 98026; Dilip Worah of 17200 195th Avenue NE, Bothell, WA 98011; Brett V. Gaspers of 16623 74th Place, W., Edmonds, WA 98026-5116; hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: **ONLINE BIDDING FOR A CONTRACT TO  
PROVIDE A GOOD OR SERVICE**

Date(s) of execution of Declaration: December 7, 2001, December 11, 2001,  
and December 12, 2001, respectively.

Filing Date: August 16, 2001

Application No.: 09/930,908; and

WHEREAS, K-Quay Enterprises, LLC, located at PMB #454, 23632 Highway 99, Suite F, Edmonds, Washington 98026, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignors further agree that they will, without charge to Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, (a) cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of U.S. Patent applications and foreign counterparts on the invention and any improvements, (b) execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including patent applications and instruments of transfer, and (c) perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request to obtain or maintain Letters Patent and Registrations for the invention and improvements in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

Assignors hereby authorize and request Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP, Two Embarcadero Center, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94111-3834, to insert herein above the application number and filing date of said application when known.

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Brett V. Gaspers  
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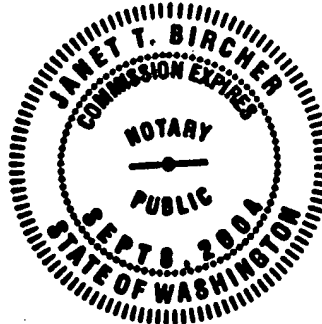
On Dec 12, 2001, before me, Janet T. Bircher,  
personally appeared Brett V. Gaspers, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of  
satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and  
acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her authorized capacity, and that by his/her  
signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the  
instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Janet T. Bircher  
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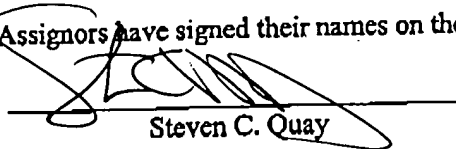
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have signed their names on the dates indicated.

Dated: 7 December 2001

  
Steven C. Quay

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On DEC. 7 2001, before me, HELENA M. MESSINA,  
personally appeared Steven C. Quay, personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of  
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HELENA M. MESSINA  
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